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The Railway Mail Clerks Are Engaged In a Dispute

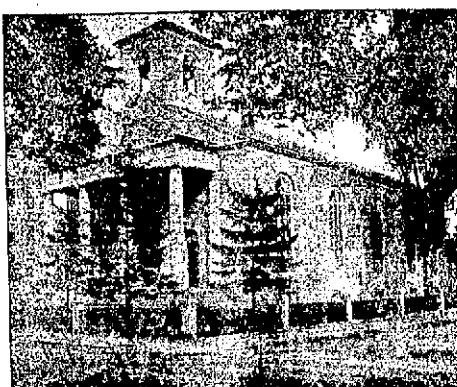
There is a stir before the House of Commons in England. The general investigation now in progress before that committee over efforts of railway mail clerks in New

to join the American Federation of Labor has brought out some information about the dismissal of railway mail clerks in that section, including R. A. Quackenbos of Boston and H. E. Slocum of Springfield.

It is claimed that President A. C. Walton of the New England division of the Railway Mail Clerks' Association, residing at Jamaica Plain, and other officials have been opposing the more radical clerks and may have known something about the dismissals. The committee will undoubtedly hear both sides before reaching

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PEIRCE-HEFFENGER NUPTIALS



UNITARIAN CHURCH,
Where the Peirce-Heffenger Wedding Occurred.

Brilliant Society Wedding at Unitarian Church This Noon

In Portsmouth society circles there was never seen a more brilliant, impressive and notable marriage ceremony than that by which in the Unitarian church at noon today Rev. Alfred Gooding united Miss Constance Heffenger, third daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur C. and Mrs. Frances Pickering Heffenger of 8 Austin Street, and Joshua Winslow Peirce, only son of Mrs. Susan (Littlefield) Peirce of 16 Court street.

The King's chapel service was church on State street was a marvel. Miss Priscilla Heffenger, sister of the bride, was maid of honor, and George M. Proctor, Jr., of Boston, a business associate of the groom, was best man.

The bridesmaids were the Misses Mary Lowell of Boston, Hilda Valentine of Crafston, Mass., and Dorothy Foster, Blanca Coggswell, Marion Hackett and Eleanor Richter of this city.

James S. Proctor and Thomas S. Street of Boston, Nathan H. Bachelder of Keene, Stephen Peirce, Jr., of Kittery Point, and Ralph May and Frederic Gooding of this city were a prominent part were present, and the ushers.

Attired in a beautiful creation of white chiffon over white satin with silver trimming, wearing a white tulle veil also adorned with silver and among the foremost in naval society carrying a bouquet of bride's roses circles here and elsewhere. Mr. Peirce was the personification of Peirce is a graduate of Dartmouth in all that pertains to feminine attractiveness. The bridesmaids were in with the firm of Proctor, Cook and Company, on Congress street, Boston, and the maid of honor was in with the firm of Peirce, Cook and Company, in New York, Washington, D. C., and elsewhere.

The groom's gift to the bride was Philadelphia and elsewhere.

UNIDENTIFIED MAN KILLED

Was Run Over By Train During Night East of Hampton Depot

The body of an unknown man was found early this morning on the after viewing the remains ordered track of the Boston and Maine rail the body turned over to undertaker road a quarter of a mile east of J. S. Jones for burial.

Hampton depot. He had been killed. There was nothing on the body that by one of the night trains, likely a would lead to the identification of the man. His clothing consisted of

From his position when found it a black jacket, blue jumper, gray shirt, blue stockings and a black cap. He is about fifty years old. Medical Ref. of age.

The wheels passed over his body, black shoes. He is about fifty years

just below the waist. Medical Ref. of age.

BARGE LOSES SECOND OF CREW

Death of Man On Former Trip Here Followed By Another Today

John W. Witchell, a sailor of the white attempting to board the merchant service attached to barge vessel at the Consolidation Coal Co. No. 6 at the dock of the Rockingham company's wharves late at night. Shortly after midnight captain of ham County Light and Power company, died at the police station this the barge appeared at the station morning. On a voyage here during the winter Capt. Estergreen, as a result of delirium tremens. He died another man from his crew, was confined to a cell and Dr. Higginson, Arthur P. Danforth, was called to attend him. He was drowned Jan. 14, 1911, at 3 o'clock

A Free Demonstration

OF THE

New Perfection Wick

Blue Flame Oil Stove

A Lady Demonstrator will do Baking and explain the uses of this Stove at our Store.

It will pay every housekeeper to attend this exhibition, even though she does not wish to buy, and all are cordially invited.

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Friday and Saturday, May 12 and 13.

MARGESON BROTHERS,

The Quality Store Telephone 570 Vaughan St.
Equal to Gas at 40c Per Thousand.

or later and it was thought he might amount due in wages and this with pull through. Shortly before 7 what will be given by the owners of the vessel will cover the expenses of burial.

This is the first death which has occurred in the building since the police department moved in.

TAKEN TO STATE PRISON

Sheriff Cylon Spinney conveyed Charles Edward Galusha, alias Chas. Johnson, to the Concord state prison and will inter bury the remains. This morning to serve a sentence of not less than eighteen months or

more than two and one half years.

AT THE STAPLES STORE

Saturday After Supper Sale

Ladies' Gingham and Percale Waists, White Ground with Black Stripes or Dots and Blue Ground with Fancy Stripes—After Supper Sale.....

47c

White Barred Dress Muslins, 2 different styles, see these in own window—After Supper Price.....

9c Yard

White Muslin Sash Curtains, the regular 15c kind—After Supper Sale..... 12 1-2c Pair

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35c Pair

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Men, you simply can't afford to buy your Spring shoes until you've seen our Crawfords. In a shoe like the Crawford, with its sterling wear and fitting qualities so well known, the supreme test is



STYLE
And the best evidence that Crawfords are style leaders is found in the fact that more new distinctive shapes have just been added to the Crawford line than will be seen in any other make this season.

We have a good line of ladies' and children's Oxfords and Pumps.

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SEE MOBILE

Ladies' Home Journal Patterns and Style Books for Summer.

Geo. B. French Co.

EXHIBITION OF SCHOOL WORK

The annual exhibition of the pupils of the public schools was opened on Friday afternoon at the High school building and it was one of the best ever held. There was a good attendance of the parents during the afternoon and a much larger number in the evening.

The exhibition was held in the assembly hall and it included the work of the scholars of the kindergarten to the high school. In the other rooms on the same floor were exhibits of sewing, mechanical drawing and etc., and in the lower rooms an exhibit of the work of the manual training classes.

The exhibition is excellent in every detail, and shows excellent judgment on the part of the teachers in displaying it. The display includes all branches of the work from the interesting work of the kindergarten to the more detailed work of the children of the upper grades and the high school pupils. Possibly the most interesting is the drawing and cut out work of some of the lower grades, illustrating stories and etc.

The manual training classes have an attractive showing and some of the work shows remarkable skill on the part of the pupils. Turned wood work, models, patterns and etc., as well as mechanical drawings make an exhibition of which all concerned may well feel proud.

Supt. MacDougal and all of the teachers were present and gladly explained the work of their respective departments.

The exhibition will be continued again this afternoon.

MEMORIAL ORDERS

The following orders have been issued for Memorial Sunday.

HEADQUARTERS STORER POST, NO. 1.

General Order No. 2.

Portsmouth, N. H. May 3, 1911.

Comrades:

Once more we have arrived at that season of the year when, according to the well established custom of Storer Post, it will be our duty to devoutly honor our departed Comrades who have crossed the river of life since last Memorial Day.

Therefore each Comrade is earnestly requested to be present on Memorial Sunday, May 7, 1911, at 2:30 p. m. in G. A. R. Hall and assist in rendering the service and listen to an address to be delivered by Rev. Harold M. Foisom.

On Sunday morning, May 28, 1911, at 10:30 Storer Post, together with Store Relief Corps, No. 6; Henry L. Richards Camp, No. 13, S. of V.; 1st Co. C. A. C.; Winthrop Scott Schley Camp, No. 1, United Spanish War Veterans, and Paul Jones Club, Sons American Revolution, will attend divine service at the Methodist Episcopal Church, and Comrades are earnestly urged to make special effort to be present, as the Rev. Lyle L. Gaither, pastor of the church, will deliver an address appropriate for the occasion.

On Memorial Day, May 30, 1911, Comrades are earnestly requested to parade with the Post and assist in the exercises of the day. All Comrades are welcome, whether members of the Post or not.

The Post will assemble in G. A. R. Hall, Daniel street in full uniform, white gloves, at 1 p. m. Let every Comrade be in line, whether a member of the Post or not.

Comrades unable to march will please notify the Adjutant or Comrade George E. McIntosh, chairman of transportation, on or before May 28, and transportation will be furnished for them.

Per Order,
EDWIN UNDERHILL,
Commander
C. L. HOYT,
Adjutant.

PROBATE COURT

The following business was transacted at the probate court here Tuesday:

Wills Proved—Of John E. Smith, Portsmouth, Eliza P. Smith, executrix; Marion R. M. Page, Windham, Lucia T. Carleton, executrix; Henry C. Gerrish, Portsmouth, dated November 12, 1857; Eliza A. Rand, New Castle, William F. Chase, West Bedford, Mass., executor; John H. Bartlett, agent; Margaret Conlon, Portsmouth, William L. Conlon, executor; Emma G. Pike, Epping, Lenora T. Emerson, executrix; Caroline M. Robie, Epping, Abbie J. Harvey, executrix; John M. Pitts, Northwood, Orrin M. James, executor to qualify; Samuel J. Gerish, Portsmouth, Caroline A. Gerish, executrix; Lucy M. Hooper, Executer; Marietta H. Safford, Newton, Mass., executrix; Thomas Leavitt, agent.

Foreign Wills Filed—Of Sarah A. Whittemore, Cambridge, Mass.

Administration Granted—In estates of Mary A. Tuck, Brentwood, John E. Tuck, administrator; Emma R. Marden, Rye, Wilbur L. Marden, administrator; Lucia H. Nesmith, Loh-

onderry, Cleon E. Nesmith, administrator; Warrington Moulton, Portsmouth, Grace E. Moulton, administrator.

Accounts Settled—In estate of Bartholomew Mahoney, Portsmouth, ward.

Accounts Filed—In estates of Geo. V. Thomas, Walter J. Burnham, Windham.

Inventories Approved—In estate of Helen M. Sanborn, Hampton Falls; Alfred D. Woodman, Exeter; Sarah B. Plumer, Portsmouth; William D. Miller, Londonderry; Mary E. McCarthy, Salem.

Receipts Filed—In estate of Walter J. Burnham, Windham.

Lists Filed—Of heirs of legatees, estates of Rowena L. Shepard, Epping; Emma R. Marden, Rye; Warrington Moulton, Portsmouth.

Bonds Approved—In estates of Rowena L. Shepard, Epping; Sarah B. Plumer, Portsmouth.

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For PORTSMOUTH and PORTSMOUTH'S INTERESTS

SATURDAY, MAY 6, 1911.

A GAME OF BLUFF

At a conference between Governor Head of Vermont and President Mellon of the Boston and Maine and New York, New Haven and Hartford lines in Boston recently, Mr. Stickney, one of the governor's party, hit the nail pretty fairly on the head in an exposition of his views upon the Grand Trunk's attempt to gain access to Boston.

After a survey of the situation and an explanation of the physical difficulties attendant upon any entrance by the Grand Trunk, he voiced it as his personal, not official, opinion that it would be inadvisable to permit the road to enter since the railroads of New England should be owned and operated by New England men and New England money.

The old saying that to get acquainted with an army of "farmers" one must go to New York, or words to that effect, it seems is equally applicable to Boston, judging by the lamb-like meekness and gullibility with which the Canadian corporation's transparent efforts are being received.

Why does not the New England Chamber of Commerce call the Grand Trunk's game of bluff and the yellow journal's scheme to inflate its circulation? It has flaunted to the four winds of heaven its slogan "New England-made goods—why may it not be revised to include New England-owned railroads? The Grand Trunk's money is largely Canadian or English.

BIRDSEYE VIEWS

Why don't the farmers take a straw vote in connection with the reciprocity agreement? Hey?

The announcement that four hundred million bananas were consumed in this country last year peals forth to the ears of an amazed public.

Now they are investigating an alleged fisherman's bribery found in Illinois, but our greatest concern is to know whether Lorimer is going to get the hook.

The Panama statesman who had six bullets fired at him as he rose to make an after-dinner speech might have been excused had he sat down again very shortly.

Will the electrician who was ordered to install dummy fire alarm boxes on a Hudson river steamer be made the scapegoat as was Capt. Van Schaick of the General Slocum?

What has become of the old-fashioned man who used to shave his upper lip and let his whiskers grow? asks the Cleveland Plain Dealer. Meant? Cannon? Oh, he got his shave time ago, but it was a close shave.

The senate committee on contingent expenses reports that there is money available to pay the cost of another Lorimer investigation. Excellent! Now let it be devoted to buying leather medals to the legislators who voted against unseating him.

The Japanese have abandoned their effort to reach the south pole; their expedition being unable to penetrate the ice pack along the coast of Victoria Land. Too bad jiu jitsu couldn't in some way be employed for the pacification of this forbidding country.

Too bad the experts couldn't have had a chance to examine the rents in the hull of the Maine. Now they will be less able to deduce from the appearance of those in the monitor Puritan whether Capt. Austin M. Knight really and truly did sink her, or whether she went to points as permanent possessions of the take no other.

the bottom through being riddled by Garibaldi's guns.

Capt. Baldwin, the Arctic explorer, is to spend the years from 1913 to 1917 in a ship, drifting with the ice floes of the Arctic ocean. And as though this were not sufficient self-inflicted punishment there will be the harrowing thought that Cook has been there before him.

AMONG OUR EXCHANGES

Vermont Bureau of Information.

To the people of Massachusetts and New England generally, the departure made by Vermont in starting a publicity and information bureau to further the development of that state will occasion much satisfaction. Anything done along this line by any part of New England is bound to benefit New England as a whole. Especially is this departure an interesting and welcome feature, as a sign that Vermont is preparing to get in the procession of progress and make way for conditions that will enable it to reap bigger returns from its natural attractions. We need the co-operation of Vermont in respect to our highway problems, our "better farming" problems, and along various lines.

The last legislature authorized the expenditure of \$5000 to promote the further development of the natural resources of the state by the collections, preparation, publication and distribution of reliable information and statistics touching its natural and industrial advantages." In accordance with this act, a "bureau of information and publicity" has been established in connection with the office of the secretary of state, Guy W. Baily, who has his office in Essex Junction. In a statement to the press the bureau says:

It is Mr. Baily's plan to issue booklets on subjects pertaining to the resources of the state and give them wide distribution. He has in preparation a booklet on summer resorts and boarding houses. This publication is intended to cover the subject fully, giving information on all sections of the state and in fact on everything that interests the vacation seeker. This booklet will be available at city railroad ticket offices and information bureaus of the metropolitan newspapers.

Agriculture and the forms of Vermont will be the subject of the booklet, now being prepared. This booklet may be had by addressing the secretary.

Vermont, while it shows a decrease in population in the rural sections, farm values, according to the census of 1910, have perceptibly increased. The census also shows that the farms of Vermont raise more grain to the acre, especially corn, than is raised in almost all the other states of the Union.

Such has been published of late respecting the decrease in Vermont's express themselves as believing they have made a discovery. While this condition is in part true, it is not different from a like condition that exists in practically all of the older states of the Union. Every country has passed through an era of changing population from rural sections to cities and villages. Then tendency of humanity is to congregate. As applied to Vermont this condition does not mean that the state is growing poorer. In dollars and cents Vermont is richer today than ever before in her history. Her savings banks and trust companies have loaned to the people of other states—mostly Western states—\$31,000,000, the deposits of Vermont people.

The farmers of Vermont are prosperous. He manufacturing industries are well engaged. There is much to be said in favor of the state, and the new publicity bureau contemplates giving information on many subjects of interest to the people of the country from time to time.

New Hampshire has long enjoyed a heavy summer resort business. Its White mountains have been a famous resort for generations and that region has been well advertized by the rail road and hotel companies. Of late years the state itself has done much to advertise itself along certain lines. Some think the New Hampshire plan of publicity is open to criticism, in working too much along the line of development a mere summer population. Perhaps Vermont can improve on that plan. In any case the attractions of the Green Mountains need to be brought more fully to the attention of the public; also the opportunities to buy farms cheap. In that state, and other features that doubtless will receive attention from the newly established publicity bureau.

Charles E. Oliver, 45 Cottrell Alley, Portsmouth, N. H., says: "Standing for hours brought a constant strain on my kidneys and I finally began to have kidney complaint. My back was so lame at times that I could hardly attend to my work and I was also trouble by headaches and spells of dizziness. When I heard of Doan's Kidney Pills, I procured a box and began their use, following the directions closely. The pains in my back and other symptoms of kidney complaint soon left me and I felt much better in every way. The cure has since proven to be a permanent one and I, therefore, advise anyone suffering from disordered kidneys to try Doan's Kidney Pills."

The only criticism that can be made to the work of the Society for the Protection of New Hampshire Forests, the headquarters of which are at 6 Hancock Avenue in this city, is that it did not start out on its mission soon enough. The society, however, is displaying an energy now that begets a disposition to make up for lost time. While Massachusetts wisely set apart its own mountain tops and other scenic

A TIMELY TOPIC

FROM

"NEW ENGLAND,"
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Our Great Industrial Future

The Observer

THE MAN WHO WON

There's a voice and a shout for the men who win,
There's a storm of applause and of wonder;

But never a cheer for the men whose sin
Was only to fall and to blunder.

So here's a song for the men who moil
With the frowning skies above them.

And here is a toast for the sons of toil—
To the men who lose—God love them!

Oh, what is success but an empty game?

What is wealth but a bauble ever? Yet right is a something more than a name

Though the wrong rides high forever.

So here is a song for the sons that live

Though fortune ne'er caresses them
And here is a toast for the souls that strive—

To the men who lose—God bless them!

There's a cheer for heroes on land and sea,

There's fame for the high endeavor,

There's a shout for the knight of chivalry,

There's a praise for the strong and clever.

But here is a song for the ones that live

Though fortune ne'er caresses them.

And here is a toast for the souls that strive—

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—National Magazine.

We hear a lot of old-time songs, some people will implore the singers to arise and sing the good old songs of yore. They sigh and mourn about the joy they have in olden days, and say their hearts are yearning for the songs of other days.

Oh, read a book of ancient songs—The Mocking Bird" and all—not one in all the lot but will move you to weep and bawl; not one in all the bunch but tells of some one dead for years; the chorus then is full of sobs and bitter, bitter tears.

All broken hearts and busted hopes are crushed and shattered dreams the old songs go wailing on and have no joyful gleams; they're mostly made of empty homes and unrequited love, with the refrain that give you paths and say "we'll meet above."

Next time somebody begs of you to sing some song that's old, lift up your voice and sing the "Silver Threads Among the Gold," or that gay one which begs you to "See That My Grave's Kept Green," and nevermore the songs of yore will be called for.

To write the history of this country in song has always been the aim of Billy Jerome, and the satirical manner in which he sometimes brings certain events to the notice of his great following has brought favorable comment from some of the greatest men of the day. On the impulse of the moment, he, in connection with his musical associate, Jean Schwartz, has written and introduced to the public a song entitled, "They're all Good American Names." The satiric lies in the fact that neither Washington, Lincoln, Grant, McKinley, nor any of our heroes are mentioned. The first verse brings in the names of all the Irish athletes, the second verse includes all the baseball players with Celtic names, and the third verse, really the hit of the song—refers to the great race which, during the past thirty years, has made such wonderful strides in every branch of business, in fine arts, and in all the professions. This verse will appeal to everybody that has been in New York and noticed the changes in the business section of old Broadway. When the song was first sung in New York it actually received such an amount of applause that one of the best vaudeville shows fairly came to a standstill.

Missed jealousy, Biograph, Cupid's Joke, Biograph, ACT—Fern and Fern, Singing, talking and dancing. In Old California when the Jingles come, Selig. Sing, When the Candle Lights are gleaming, Miss Brown. The Kid from Arizona. Pathé.

MUSIC HALL VAUDEVILLE

Program for Friday and Saturday, May 4-5.

Scenes in Cologne, Eclipse. Last Edict of Francis II, Eclipse. Song, When you see the snowflakes falling, Miss Brown.

Max is forced to work, Pathé. Through Venice, Pathé.

Act—George Mack, The Man in Gray.

Misplaced jealousy, Biograph.

Cupid's Joke, Biograph.

ACT—Fern and Fern, Singing, talking and dancing.

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We have purchased the stock and good will of C. H. Stewart on Union wharf and have leased the buildings which we will fit up as a first class machine shop where we will do all kinds of repairs on steam, marine and stationary engines, boilers, gasoline engines, automobiles and boat work. All kinds of piping and pump work done by experienced men. We take possession on May the 8th, and will sell on that date the entire stock of boats and engines and fittings purchased of Mr. Stewart regardless of cost.

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number of fact the cars do raise tremendous clouds of dust, and the ground over which they pass was soiled, there is no question that it would be greatly appreciated by passengers, who are now obliged to eat a fair share of their peck of dirt on each trip on dry days.

This question of street oiling is bound to be discussed more and more as the beneficial results of this system of dust laying becomes more and more apparent. Between street cars and automobiles, life on any of the principle thoroughfares is not very pleasant on dry days. Even with the windows closed, dust sifts into the houses in large quantities and housekeepers are often discouraged to find the furniture covered so that larger prints show in an hour after being thoroughly dusted. From a sanitary standpoint, also, the question is one of importance, for it is asserted that much sickness is due to the germs carried in the dust thus raised.

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After an absence of nearly half a century there returned to this Friday this capacity the Pioneer was sold afternoon the steamer Pioneer, a venerable product of Piscataqua shipyards which may well awaken buried memories along the water front if not elsewhere.

The Pioneer was built on Noble's Island in 1864 and her first service was carrying freight and passengers for use as a tender to be dredging between this city and the Isles of Shoals. Represented by George W. Tucker and commanded by Capt. Joseph Amazee she plied several seasons in this trade.

Soon afterward she was sold to Wm. Betts, New Haven, for duty between the Islands, and again to Brooksville, Me., owners, who placed her on the route between Belfast, Castine, Brooksville and other Penobscot Bay ports for the carrying of freight and passengers.

Having outlived her usefulness in

to open his summer home at Elliot Depot.

Operator W. B. Bowe has been put on second trip at Spinnery switch, operator R. H. Mayer having taken a 6 months leave. He is going to try his luck on the Pacific Coast.

The Section foremen have taken on their extra summer men.

Service at the Congregational Church tomorrow will be as follows: The morning service the pastor will read a paper entitled "The Liquor interests in Politics." In the evening there will be a talk on Pilgrims.

BOYS AT BASEBALL

Altar Boys Trim Shamrocks.

The young Altar Boys defeated the young Shamrocks by a score of 11 to 3 at the Jones Brewery grounds this morning. The lineups were as follows:

Altar Boys: Heffernan p. Nevillie c. Donevan 1b. Herlihy 2b. Grady 3b. Connors ss. Quirk cf. White lf. Kenneally rf. Young Shamrocks: Reardon p. Driscoll c. M. Grady 1b. E. Grady 2b. D. McDonald ss. J. Mahoney cf. Woods lf. E. McDonald rf.

The features of the game were the battery work of the Heffernan and Neville, and the hitting of White, Herlihy and Heffernan.

Red Sox Defeated.

The "Young Nationals" this morning defeated the "Red Sox," who claimed the local championship last year, by a score of 22 to 13. The lineups:

Young Nationals: Sorrenti c. Barrett p. Horan 1b. Sussman 2b. Timmins 3b. McWilliams ss. Long lf. Hassett cf. Leighton rf. Miss Clara Bray has been substituting at the primary grades at the Mitchell school during the absence of the regular teacher, Miss Helen Bicknell, who is ill.

The M. G. Whist club has its next meeting with Mr. and Mrs. Raymond C. Witham. Cutts wharf was a busy place on Friday night with the stone ship America, the steamer Pioneer, the tug M. Mitchell Davis tied up there.

The crushed stone brought from Cape Ann for the town is being deposited on the road between Seaward's Hill and the residence of Capt. Horace M. Seaward.

Miss Gussie Phillips will entertain the G. M. Whist club next Wednesday evening.

The three master Bessie C. Beach sailed from Philadelphia Friday with a cargo of coal for the Atlantic Shore Railway. The new wireless pole on Searey's Island was put in position Friday. It is a few feet shorter than the old one and is in two pieces instead of three.

Mr. and Mrs. George Stevens of Concord have been visiting Capt. and Mrs. Edgar M. Frisbee.

BASEBALL NOTES

The local high school baseball teams plays its fifth game of the season this afternoon at Exeter and also its second game in the South Eastern Interscholastic league schedule. Capt. Ralph Brackett will take the following players to Exeter: Call, L. Leavitt, R. Leavitt, Timmons, Davidson, Bennett, Badger, Hennetsey, Gorman, Jenkins, Fuller, and Crossman. The team will be accompanied by manager Justin McCarthy, Coach Frank P. Bunker and fifty rooters.

Semiprofessional baseball in this city will be in full force this afternoon. Two games, one at the south playgrounds between the nine from the U. S. S. Dubuque and the Portsmouth Independents and a game at the plains between the Portsmouth Y. M. C. A. and the team representing the 15th Company C. A. C. from Fort Constitution. There is also a game on at the navy yard between the marines from the barracks and the marines from the U. S. A. Topeka.

York High plays Rochester high at Rochester this afternoon. The team will line up as follows: F. Putnam, S. Handy, C. R. Wear, p., Johnson 2b, R. Putnam 1b, Adams lf, Hutchins 3b, Parsons rg, and Paul H.

ELIOT

Mrs. Hancom is much improved from her recent fall.

Mrs. Clara Shapleigh has returned home from a visit with her daughter Mrs. H. Noble of Salem, Mass.

Mrs. Everett Shorey has opened her home at Eliot Depot.

Nursery business at the Depot is good both in and out. Some boxes received weighed over 1000 pounds.

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powder is not made from alum.DIVIDED ON ORGANIZATION STEP IN THE
(Continued from page 1)DEVELOPMENT
OF BOSTON PORT

Plans for a monster freight and passenger pier on the Commonwealth docks have been made public by the New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad, which seeks modification of the 30-year lease made last November to the Old Colony railroad. It is urged that the state complete the property with the needful superstructure equipment.

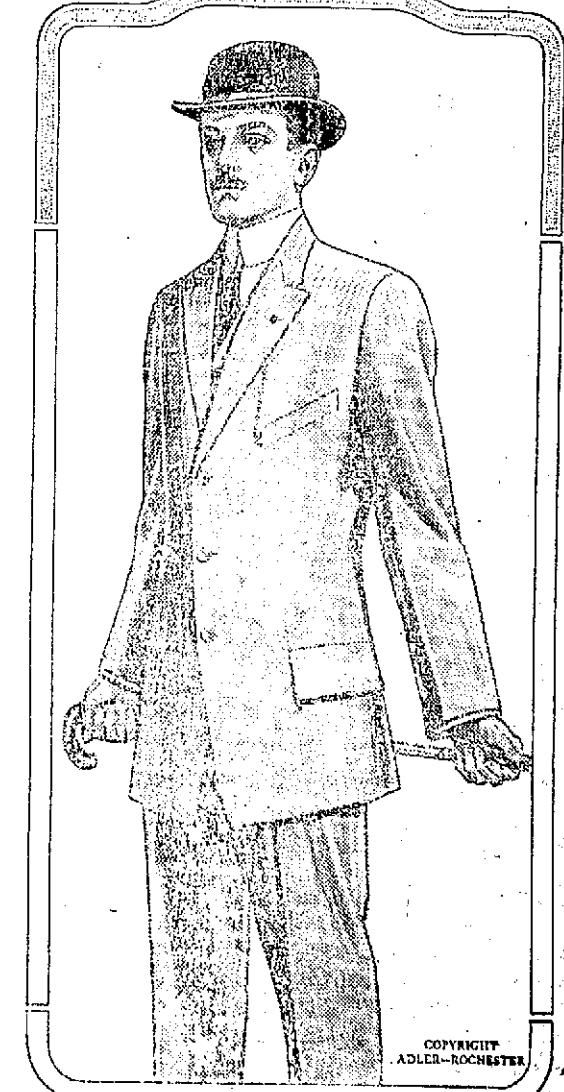
Advocates of this scheme point to the example of New York city in recent additions to the municipal dock system, the new Chelsea piers on the North river water front of Manhattan. They say that the consolidation of interests of the New Haven, Boston & Maine and New York Central systems will bring to Boston an enormous increase in transatlantic business, and that this increase makes necessary immediate steps to develop port facilities.

OBSEQUIES

Mrs. Adrianna R. Brown.

Prayers were offered over the body of Mrs. Adrianna A. Brown at the home of her daughter, Mrs. F. J. Brown on Hill street at 9 a. m. today by Rev. L. L. Gaither. The body was sent to West Paris, Me., for further services and interment under the direction of H. W. Nickerson.

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ENOUGH VOTES ARE Pledged

Washington, May 5—It is learned that 55 senators have pledged themselves to vote for the reciprocity bill without amendment, and as this leaves 36 votes (if all may be so counted) against the measure, the Taft looks forward to the future can be well understood.

Of course, any number of amendments may be expected to be offered, and these will be mainly by the progressives elements seeking to make capital before the farmers of the country in order to further their own presidential aspirations and to undermine the prestige of the president in effecting the enactment of the agreement. Nobody as yet ventures to see an early end of the debate, but even progressives opposed to the bill assert the likelihood of its passage. Apparently, too, the Democratic in the senate will almost be as solid for the measure as the Democrats in the House were.

Congressman Thayer of the Worcester district had the floor yesterday in the house in the debate on the farmer's free list bill, which he supported with great enthusiasm. He took occasion to be very critical of the United Shoe Machinery Co., which Wednesday Congressman Weeks, his colleague from a neighboring district, had commended. He referred to the legislation which had been enacted in Massachusetts against the company. The opposition Mr. Thayer showed to the company illustrated in the house the division that exists in Massachusetts regarding the company.

Mr. Thayer also made merry with Mr. Weeks in other respects. In speaking of the coming redistricting in Massachusetts he pleaded that the Worcester district be given back the towns that were taken away from it years ago to make securely the district securely Republican, the Democratic towns being put in the Weeks district which already had a tremendous Republican majority.

"Give me back my ewe lambs," cried Mr. Thayer.

He also paid his respects to argument of Mr. Weeks against putting boots and shoes on the free list lest the boot and shoe manufacturers of Massachusetts be driven out of business. Mr. Thayer asked Mr. Weeks, "What had become of the shoe factories in many of the towns in his district which had closed despite the fact that the shoe industry enjoyed a high protective duty in the Dingey bill?" He wanted to know why these factory buildings are closed and unoccupied today. "I do not want any of these depopulated towns in my district," he said.

DIES AT HOT SPRINGS

Ex-Senator Kittredge of South Dakota Succumbs to Kidney Trouble—Born in New Hampshire.

Hot Springs, Ark., May 5—Ex-U. S. Senator Albert Beard Kittredge of Sioux Falls, S. D., died last night after a month's illness with liver and kidney trouble. His senatorial service ended two years ago.

The body will be taken to Keene, N. H. for interment.

Alfred B. Kittredge, U. S. senator from South Dakota for the last nine years, was born in New Hampshire 50 years ago and graduated at Yale. He went west, settled at Sioux Falls, S. D., became a lawyer and when he entered the senate was rated as one

of the greatest railroad attorneys in the country. He had little experience in public office prior to his election to the U. S. senate. He had natural aptitude as a political manager, however, and directed the campaign of Senator Pettigrew in 1894, though when Pettigrew became imbued with populistic principles he and Kittredge parted company and the latter became leader of the republican party in his state.

He was a member of the national committee from 1892 to 1900 and in 1901 succeeded to the vacancy caused by the death of Senator Kyle.

BOYCOTT RESTAURANT

MISS MORGAN FOUNDED

The Navy-Yard restaurant founded by Miss Annie Morgan, daughter of J. Pierpont Morgan, near the Sands street gate of the Brooklyn Navy Yard has become a storm center between two factions of workmen in the yard. The malcontents have placarded the neighborhood with posters calling on workmen to boycott the eating-house, but their efforts, it is said, have only reacted on them.

The ostensible cause of discontent was a pretty waitress and a popular cook, Miss McCann, the waitress had a tight hold on the heartstrings of the most susceptible. When she departed from the restaurant a few days ago she left many broken hearts.

The dejected ones might have recovered if they had not heard that Thomas McGrath, the cook, had been docked two days' pay for absence when sick. They formed then a boycott committee.

The result was the warlike poster addressed "To all men working in the Navy-Yard." "It is up to boycott the restaurant," reads the bill. "Keep away and do not patronize it until we have a new management. The conditions are intolerable and such that it is an insult to all honest workingmen." The notice had the effect that when the noon whistle blew yesterday scores of the Navy-Yard force patronized for lunch a neighborhood saloon delicately named "Bucket of Blood."

One of the malcontents thus explained the boycotters' side of the question:

"The food is not what it was and the waitresses are homely. Why, we used to get so much for twenty cents that we had to let out a link in our belts. Now a canary would starve on twenty cents' worth.

Nevertheless, in the face of this argument and flaring posters on every tree and trolley pole, a steady stream of Navy-Yard men entered the restaurant. These did not seem discontented. It was explained that most of them were married and that all biscuits shooters looked alike to them." One of them was asked what the trouble was all about. He said:

"The real cause of the discontent is this: When the restaurant was started two years ago patrons were allowed to help themselves to bread and butter. As a result some of the men would get away with a loaf of bread and half a pound of butter. Then they would order a nickel plate of soup. Now, these men are displeased because they think that are not getting their money's worth. I don't know what they want for a nickel. I guess some of them prefer a saloon to a restaurant, anyhow."

The manager of the place did not seem greatly worried over the attempted boycott: she said the agitation had increased business, which statement riled the "strikers," who said they would redouble their efforts to boycott the place.

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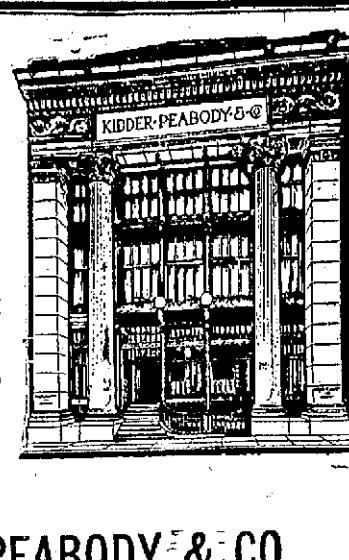
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Morning service at 11 a. m.
Evening service at 8 p. m.
Sunday school at 12 m.
Young Peoples' Meeting at 7:30 p. m.
Praise service Friday evening at 8. All are invited to attend.

North Church.

Morning worship at 10:30 a. m. conducted by the pastor, including service for the admission of members and followed by the observance of the Lord's Supper.

Vesper service in the church at 7:30 p. m. Sunday school in the chapel at Middle street at 12 m.

Young Peoples' meeting in parish at 6:10 p. m.

Advent Church.

Service at the Advent church will be conducted by Rev. C. Shattuck of Somerville, Mass. Social service at 10:30.

Sunday school 12 m.

Preaching at 2:30. Subject: "The Devine Challenge."

Young Peoples' meeting at 6 p. m. led by Mrs. Louise Marshall.

Song service 7:15 followed by preaching at 7:30. Subject: "The Human vs the Devine vision of mankind."

All are welcome.

Unitarian Church.

Regular service at 10:30 a. m. Preaching by Rev. Alfred Goodin.

Sunday school at chapel on Court street at 12 m.

The choir will render the following musical numbers:

Praise the Lord.

Father the very thought.

Alto Solo. "Love not the World" from The Prodigal Son by Sullivan.

Mrs. O. W. Priest.

Tenor Solo. How many livery ser-

vants" from The Prodigal Son by Sullivan.

Mr. Ralph S. Parker.

Christian Science Society.

Services to which all are welcome are held at No. 2 Market street Sunday morning at 10:45 a. m. and Wednesday evening at 7:45 p. m. Subject, May 7, "Adam and Fallen Man."

Sunday school at 11:50 a. m.

A free reading room is maintained at the same address which is open to the public daily except Sunday from 2 to 4 p. m., where all Christian Science literature can be found to be read or purchased.

Methodist Episcopal Church.

State Street.

Lyle L. Gathier, pastor.

Junior League 9:30 a. m.

Morning service 10:30 a. m.

Sunday school 12 m.

Epworth League 6:30 p. m.

Evening service 7:30 p. m.

Sermon by the pastor Sunday morning and evening.

Tuesday evening at 7:30 p. m. class meeting.

Friday evening at 7:30 p. m. The prayer meeting.

NORTH KITTERY

First M. E. Church.

Elmer A. Leslie, pastor.

Morning worship at 10:45 a. m.

Subject: "The World in Boston."

Sunday school at 12 m.

Every child will be greatly benefited by coming to our Sunday school. We use the Graded Lessons which are carefully adapted to the age of the child.

Junior League at 3:30 p. m. Every child is asked to bring a spring blossom or bud to this service.

Epworth League at 7 p. m. Please note the change of hour.

Evening worship at 7:45 p. m. This

service is in charge of the Kittery Village Good Templars. It will be a temperance service with enthusiastic speaking and singing. Let every man and woman be present.

St. John's Parish.

Talbot Sunday After Easter. S. a. m. Holy Communion. (chapel) 10:30 a. m. Morning prayer. Holy Communion. (church).

Sermon by the rector. Rev. Harold M. Folsom. Subject: "The Love of God in the Institution of the Eucharist."

Sunday school, chapel. 12:15 p. m.

Evening prayer. (chapel)

Sermon by the rector. Subject: "The Call of the First Disciples."

Solo by Miss Folsom.

"Not a Sparrow Falleth," by Gilbert Solo by Mr. Ernest Cook.

"The Shining Light" by Adams.

Saturday, May 13th, 2 p. m. Meeting of the Junior Auxiliary at the chapel.

Christ Church

Third Sunday After Easter. Visitation of the Bishop of the Diocese, the Right Reverend William Woodruff Niles, D. D., L. L. D.

Services: Holy Eucharist 7:30 a. m.

Holy Bazaar and

school at 2 m.

Holy Confirmation at 7:30 p. m.

Monday. Senior Brotherhood Meeting 7:30 p. m.

Tuesday. St. Peter's branch W. A. 2 p. m.

Wednesday. St. Luke's branch W. A. 2:30 p. m.

Thursday. Holy Eucharist 7:30 a. m.

Friday. Service 10:30 a. m. Junior Auxiliary 3:30 p. m. Service and Instruction 7:30 p. m.

Saturday. Children's Eucharist 8:30 a. m.

Music at 10:30 a. m.

Processional, No. 367. Jesus, our ris-

ing King.

Introl. Psalm 23.

PlainSong.

Merbreke.

Credo.

Maundier.

Offerory. No. 466. Now thank we all

our God.

Hum Dancket.

Sanctus.

Benedictus.

Hugh Blair.

Hugh Blaft.

Gloria in Excelsis.

Maundier.

Processional. No. 366. To Him who

for our lives were Slain. Bunnett.

Holy Confirmation 7:30 p. m.

Processional 378. Come, Thou Holy

Spirit, Come.

Versicles and Responses.

Tallis.

Veni Creator Spiritus.

PlainSong.

Hymn No. 615. O Jesus, I have prom-

ised.

Hayden.

CARNEGIE GETS PEACE MEDAL

Special Honor Paid Founder of Peace Fund For His Good Work.

Washington, May 5.—Andrew Carnegie received today what he called his greatest mark or honor, when 21 Americans repudiated bestow upon him a gold medal bearing on one side the words "Benefactor of Humanity," and on the other, "The American Republics to Andrew Carnegie."

According to John Barrett, director-general of the Pan-American Union, it was the first time in history that such a tribute from so many nations had been paid to an individual. Senor de Zemacuna, the Mexican ambassador, made the speech of presentation; Sec. of State Knox presided and President Taft spoke in eulogy of the gifts which Mr. Carnegie has made for the cause of peace on the hemisphere and throughout the world.

Members of the diplomatic corps and high in official life filled the hall of the Pan-American Union building, where the ceremonies were held, and for the creation of which Mr. Carnegie gave almost a million dollars.

In accepting the medal, Mr. Carnegie told of his feelings on being informed of the honor conferred upon him by the Pan-American conference at Buenos Ayres.

"I was sitting at my desk in the Highlands of Scotland last autumn," he said, "when a telegram was handed to me, which I opened and read without seeming to grasp the meaning of the words. I was stunned! Was I dreaming? My hands went to my forehead and I bent my head to my desk. Slowly the truth developed

and I began to realize what it all meant. Truly, my friends, I never before felt so completely overwhelmed and crushed, as it dawned upon me that the honor which the conference had voted to confer was without parallel, 160,000,000 of people forming 21 sovereign nations, bestowing upon poor me an honor the like of which had never before been bestowed upon a human being."

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"I was indeed in the condition of the poor players. The republics had followed Hamlet's advice and treated men not after my desserts, but after their own dignity and honor, and this thought resigned me to my fate.

Referring to President Taft's address a year ago, when he voiced a sentiment for a reign of peace among the Pan-American republics, Mr. Carnegie said:

"Thus, the President's first invitation to establish a reign of peace was

properly made to you. Much has taken place since then. He recently held out the olive branch of peace,

and it instantly was accepted by the other branch of our English-speaking race with such enthusiasm, not

by one, but by all parties, that today we have every reason to believe that war as a means of settling disputes

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The gas range means a clean cool kitchen and a neat and happy wife. Kitchen work is like play if you use a gas range. You never mind unexpected company if you have a gas range. Use a gas range and you will never have any trouble in keeping a cook. Various domestic emergencies arise which require a fire in a hurry—somebody must be fed before starting on a journey, or there is sickness in the family. Just imagine poking and crowding a scuttle of coal into a fire, fancy the delay and labor in clearing the grate and building a fresh fire. Why subject yourself to all this inconvenience when the quick, clean, reliable gas range is at your service?

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between two branches of our race will soon become a crime of the past. In offering thanks to the nations, through their diplomats present, for the honor bestowed upon him Mr. Carnegie asked them to accompany the expression with the ardent wish on his part that prompt action should be taken by the 21 republics to establish a reign of peace by adopting President Taft's policy of submitting disputes to arbitration. He added:

"Perhaps when the foremost and most successful apostle of peace has concluded his first compact of peace, abolishing war within the wide boundaries of our English-speaking race, he will turn again to our sister republics, begging them to draw closer to each other, and by suitable treaties covering all disputes render it impossible that our sisterly peaceful relations can ever again be disrupted."

PURITAN RAISED AT EXPENSE OF \$30,000

Wrecking Company Succeeds at New port, News Where Government Fails

The United States monitor Puritan was floated Thursday and was turned over to the Government at the Norfolk Navy Yard for docking Friday. The feat was accomplished by a wrecking company after the government had practically abandoned the work. The Puritan sank on the Newport News middle ground after experimental explosive tests to which she was subjected some months ago.

She is worth a million and a half dollars and it cost upwards of \$30,000 to float her. The raised vessel, which was brought to the surface by use of pontoons and chains to prevent my possibility of capsizing, came up straight and is tight. The gaging openings in the Puritan's bottom had been patched by divers and the monitor was pumped out before any attempt at raising her was made.

Following the sinking of the Puritan, Captain Austin M. Knight of the ordnance department, who with his own hands set off the explosives that partly wrecked the vessel and sent her to the bottom, was court-martialed. He proved to the satisfaction of seven rear admirals that the ship remained afloat for twenty hours, and had provisions been made for docking her at Norfolk she could have been towed to the navy yard. Now Secretary of the Navy Meyer, who says someone was responsible for the sinking of the ship, will, it is said, come to Norfolk, inspect the damage done to the monitor, and perhaps order another court-martial.

The drama, "The Tenser," was given a second presentation in Centennial Hall Wednesday evening under the auspices of Freedmen Temple of Phythian Sisters. A supper was served and dancing followed.

The members of the Embroidery club enjoyed the last meeting of the season at the home of Mrs. Fred Quimby last Friday afternoon. Mrs. Ernest G. Cole of Hampton was a guest and lobster salad, rolls, olives, pineapple ices, assorted cake, tea and coffee were served.

Mrs. Charles J. Ross entertains the Progressive club on the occasion of its May meeting, to be held on the afternoon of Thursday, May 18. Fifteen divers, mechanics and half a dozen experts reported that they could not accomplish the feat. Then the Merritt-Chapman Wrecking company offered to do the work for \$25,000. They got the contract and floated the vessel. It is said that the Puritan experiments have already cost the Government \$50,000, and if she is made ready for service it will require an expenditure of \$25,000 more.

NORTH HAMPTON

Mrs. G. R. Marsh was the hostess at a most enjoyable bridge party on Tuesday afternoon, the guests being eight members of the Whist club, with Mrs. William T. Ross and Mrs. Ernest G. Cole of Hampton, and Mrs. Manning Philbrick and Miss Mildred Sawyer of Rye. The highest scores, 223 and 224, were held by Miss Sawyer and Mrs. C. J. Ross. Fruit salad, hot rolls, cucumber and lettuce sandwiches and tea were served.

Mrs. Charles J. Ross will entertain the Whist club on the afternoon of Tuesday, May 16.

Samuel A. Dow returned last week from a trip South, which included visits to Washington, D. C., and to Richmond and Fredericksburg, Va., and the adjacent battlefields.

Mrs. W. E. McFadden has returned from a fortnight's visit to her parents in Wksfield, Mass.

The homestead and farm buildings

of Mrs. Francis R. Drake were en-

AGREEMENT REACHED BY RAILROADS

Boston, May 5.—There was a conference at the North Station this morning which virtually settled the controversy between the New Haven and the Grand Trunk railroads over trackage rights in Vermont. It was agreed that Governor Mead of Vermont, who asked for the conference should issue the official statement as to the results, and this is the statement that he gave out for publication:

"The conference resulted in opening negotiations between the officials of the two roads looking to an adjustment, both at Brattleboro and Bellows Falls. There is a prospect that the roads will agree to a solution which will result in the new railroad being built in Vermont. The matter is now in the hands of Mr. Mellen and Mr. Fitzhugh, who will continue the negotiations at a conference on next Thursday."

Four interests were represented at the conference. The State of Vermont was represented by Governor Mead, Hon. John L. Lewis of North Troy, Lieutenant Governor L. P. Slack, Franklin E. Howe, Speaker of the House of Representatives; Major Harvey B. Kingsley, secretary of Civil and Military Affairs. The New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad was represented by President Mellen, Vice President Brynes and members of the legal and engineering departments. The Grand Trunk was represented by Vice President Fitzhugh, George Jones, who is general manager of the Central Vermont, and C. W. Witters of St. Albans, chief counsel. The city of Brattleboro was represented by ex-Attorney General C. C. Flits, Judge Tyler, ex-judge of the supreme court; Colonel Kitteridge Haskins, ex-member of Congress. Another party has interests in the situation and will be considered at the conference next Thursday. All but one of the details were agreed upon in plan that will enable the Boston & Maine to build on the Vermont side of Connecticut river in Brattleboro, instead of the New Hampshire side. Governor Mead is confident that this will be settled next Thursday, and there will be no need of calling a special session of the Legislature of Vermont. The Grand Trunk is now going on with its railroad improvements in Brattleboro, abolishing crossings in accordance with plans sanctioned by the city and ordered by the Public Service Commission.

As summed up by Cy Warriner for the Grand Trunk, the Central Vermont, which is owned by the Grand Trunk, controls by a ninety-nine years' lease the New London Northern. The New Haven wanted the New London Northern and would make the Grand Trunk a tenant, but the Vermont Legislature decided that the New Haven Company had no right to do that. The Grand Trunk people instead offered everything in the way of trackage arrangements, which is the usual way, but the New Haven declined. Both New Haven and Brattleboro were dissatisfied with the situation as it developed, and the New Haven people have made surveys and threatened to build on the New Hampshire side.

In the conference there was no talk about the movement to induce the Grand Trunk to come to Boston. Outside of the conference, Vice President Fitzhugh was asked about this by several persons, but he did not commit himself beyond saying that the Grand Trunk is appreciative of the expression of public opinion. He said that he understood that the question had gone to the board of directors. "We hope," he said, "within a few months to begin actual construction of the Southern New England railroad between Palmer and Providence. We will also spend this summer, some \$8,000,000 or \$10,000,000 in double-tracking around Toronto. No other New England construction, except such as has been planned by the Grand Trunk system this summer."

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THE CITY CLERK'S OFFICE WILL BE OPEN UNTIL NINE O'CLOCK THIS EVENING TO RECEIVE DOG LICENSES.

Umbrellas repaired and recovered at Horne's.

The High school exhibit attracted a large crowd on Friday afternoon and evening.

A nice new line of Tennis Racquets and Tennis Balls at W. F. Woods.

The Owl Barber shop, three chairs, night. There was a kick over the game.

No waiting, electric massage.

W. F. Woods, Ladd St.

Practically all of the wood work on the old city hall has been taken down and the brick work should be finished by the last of next week.

The ladies' auxiliary of the YMCA costs \$6.00. Paul Demaska, drunk, six months at county farm.

Men's Christian Association will have a rummage sale in Association Hall Saturday from 10:30 to 5:30 p. m.

To Let—Furnished or unfurnished house, No. 372 Wilder street.

The case against Violet Howard, modern improvements. Apply to Mrs. W. H. Anderson, 1048 State street or telephone 887-6.

WANTED—Men to learn barber trade. Eight weeks completes. While learning, steady position guaranteed. Write for catalogue. Mohr's Barber College, 207 Bowery, New York city.

Lewis E. La Montague of the Company at Fort Constitution was called to his home in Montreal, Canada, by the sudden illness of his mother.

The advance sale for Madam Sherry is now on sale. The show is one of the biggest attractions of the season.

Finian's haddie, charms, oysters, fish, but, live lobsters, roe and buck sword, poultry, vegetables, meats and provisions. Edward S. Downs, 37 Larjet St.

No I have not left town but am located at 3 Maplewood ave., opposite depot, next to Commercial House. James F. P. Avery, barber and hair dresser.

POLICE COURT

Low Wren and P. J. Shaub engaged in a quiet game of cards on Friday night.

Shaub was getting the small end and protested. The result was a complaint to the police who ordered them up for morning court hearing.

Judge Simes ordered the police to collect \$16.00 from each.

Alfred Hale, drunk, fined \$3 and

six months at county farm.

Hughes, drunk, six months at county farm. Fred Knight and John Fitzgerald, drunk, drunk, sentence suspended.

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OBSERVE 11th ANNIVERSARY

Fannie A. Gardner Lodge of Rebekahs Celebrate the Event

The 11th anniversary of Fannie A. Gardner Rebekah Lodge was held at Odd Fellows' hall Friday evening with a large attendance of members and friends. Special guests were the officers of Union Rebekah Lodge of this city.

Noble Grand Mrs. Bessie Estes presided and the program consisted of piano solo by Miss Marion White, readings by Miss Brooks of Cambridge, vocal solos by Miss Sara Folsom and Miss Edith Shannon. Following the musical and literary program supper was served in the ban-

Fannie A. Gardner Lodge, although one of the youngest in the state, is one of the most progressive, and although instituted only 11 years, has a membership of upward of 300 and a fund of \$2500, well invested, which the members earned by various entertainments.

BENEDICT SOON TO BE IS HOST OF BOILERMAKERS

The boilermakers, helpers and others employed at the boiler shops at the navy yard were entertained at Rechabite hall on Friday evening by one of the force, Robert Anderson, who will shortly join the bengie army.

Everybody who could get there was within the walls. There was not an idle moment during the evening. Richard T. Call, the dean of the corps, started the festivities with the presentation of a handsome costly buffet.

Dick was there with the necessary characteristic speech and as usual made a big hit. Bobby got together as quick as possible and in a few well chosen words thanked the party for the beautiful gift. The amusement committee then opened their program and produced comedians who before had never appeared, but will be much in demand in the future.

Songs were given by P. J. Donovan, J. F. Kane, J. Fritz and Harry McDermott. Sam Wilson gave a Scotch recitation and Dennis Lynch recited "The Life of a Fireman." Bill Leahy came along with some new moves in buck and wing dancing and caught the house. The Boilermakers quartet were on hand with lots of vocal gems. Frank Leahy, the caterer, had charge of the spread which was another feature of the evening.

NAVY YARD

For the purpose of exhibiting moving pictures of the war maneuvers now being participated in by the vessel, Uncle Sam has shipped several motion picture machines to the commander-in-chief of the fleet. All pictures taken will be displayed at the recruiting stations throughout the United States. About four weeks ago a number of the latest designed machines were shipped from New York, but this number has proved inadequate.

A draft of 8 men arrived on Friday from the U. S. S. Wabash at Boston for the U. S. S. Marietta.

Laborers and painters are still wanted at the yard. The list of each has been exhausted at the labor office.

A large model cement mixer for the department of public works arrived at the yard today from the manufacturers.

Lieut. D. C. Allen of the U. S. S. Kansas has been ordered to this yard in connection with fitting out the Maine and will be senior engineer officer when that vessel is commissioned.

The following were required by the labor board today: One locomotive engine tender, two floor and vice machinists, six machinists' helpers, six painters and boilermakers' helper.

One of the crew of the U. S. S. Patapsco named Fred of the quartermaster's division was ordered to the yard hospital today for treatment of a case of measles.

Revenue Service Order: 2d Lt.

PERSONALS

Miss Vera Badger is passing a few days in Biddeford and Alfred.

Miss Mabel J. Foss is visiting relatives in Boston and Worcester.

Miss Bessie Wilder of Concord Mass., is the guest of friends here.

Miss Laura E. Forrest of Keene is the guest of Miss Anne B. Clark.

Mrs. Josephine B. Wyman of Brunswick, Me., is the guest of relatives.

Miss Sadie E. Leverton of Salem is visiting her cousin Mrs. John L. Stiles of Middle street.

Mrs. Clarence A. Willman of Dorchester is the guest of Miss Anna Adams of State street.

William J. Gallagher suffered an illness on Friday and is restricted to his home on Ladd street.

Oskar Alchet, brewmaster at the Portsmouth Brewing company, is passing the day in Boston.

Mrs. C. Clinton Tredick of Arlington, Mass., who has been visiting in this city for two weeks returned home.

Mrs. Charles J. Edwards of Brooklyn, N. Y., is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred S. Wendell of Pleasant street.

Mrs. Florence G. Cummings returned to Brewster, Mass., this morning after a brief visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Hiriam Hayes.

Mrs. Harry E. Trafton entertains the Eureka whist club on Tuesday afternoon next at the home of Mrs. Walter Brown, Jr., of Elwyn avenue.

Mrs. Wygant, wife of Lieutenant Benjamin B. Wygant, U. S. N., of Annapolis, with two children and nurse are the guests of her parents Dr. and Mrs. A. C. Hoffinger, of Austin street. She is here to attend the wedding of her sister.

BROKE HIS ARM

John, the seven year old son of Mr. and Mrs. John Mehan of Hanover street, sustained a fracture of the left arm near the elbow on Friday. The little fellow was playing on the back door steps of his parents' home, made a misstep and fell, causing the fracture.

P. C. U. Whist Party, Wednesday evening, May 16.

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Hair cutting is their specialty, Massaging they do fine,

Let us go to other shops, Now its Mattison's for mine.

With children they are very nice, In fixing up their hair;

Most Mothers think it quite the place, To bring their little heirs.

Six barbers you will find there, And say, they're simply great;

And another thing we noticed there, You never have to wait.

All ears they stop right at the door,

Which makes it very handy;

And it's fixed inside so very nice.

Most people say it's dandy.

I could talk all day about this shop,

And not tell half its features,

So I'll say to you as others have,

Let experience be your teacher.

Those who are anxious to sing this will find it particularly suited to almost any popular air.

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